

## Message Text

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ACTION EPA-04

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FM AMEMBASSY ISLAMABAD  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8579  
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DEPT PASS EPA (RASTONIS)

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: SENV, PK  
SUBJ: EPA/SFCP (SAO) - NEW PAKISTAN PROJECT "PILOT PLANT FOR  
RE-USE OF WATER FROM MERCERIZING WASTE OF TEXTILE INDUSTRY"

REF: STATE A-1888

1. PER REFERENCE EMBASSY INFORMED MR. S. WAJAHAT ALI RIZVI  
OF PCSIR ON SUBJECT PROJECT AND HAS RECEIVED A RESPONSE, TEXT  
OF WHICH IS REPRODUCED AS FOLLOWS:

2. BEGIN TEXT: THE SECOND PROJECT, NAMELY "WATER RE-USE  
FOR THE DESIZING WASTE OF THE TEXTILE PRINTING INDUSTRY" IS  
LIKELY TO BE APPROVED DURING THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR. HOWEVER  
I WOULD LIKE TO EMPHASIZE THAT THE COMBINATION OF THE TWO  
PROJECTS IS NEITHER DESIRABLE NOR FEASIBLE.

THE ONLY COMMON POINT BETWEEN THE TWO PROJECTS IS THAT  
BOTH RELATE TO THE WASTES OF THE SAME INDUSTRY AND AIM AT  
UNDERTAKING STUDIES ON A PILOT PLANT SCALE. THE  
PROCESS PARAMETERS AND TECHNOLOGY FOR THE TWO PROJECTS  
ARE QUITE DIFFERENT AND TWO DIFFERENT TEAMS WOULD BE  
WORKING ON THEM. I WOULD THEREFORE REQUEST IN ALL SERIOUSNESS  
THAT EPA GIVE A 'GO AHEAD' SIGNAL TO THE PROJECT  
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ALREADY APPROVED BY THE PAKISTAN GOVERNMENT.

I MIGHT ALSO MENTIONED THAT THE DENVER RESEARCH  
INSTITUTE, COLORADO HAD ASSISTED US IN THE PRELIMINARY  
PLANNING STAGE AND IT WAS OUR JOINT VIEW THAT THE TWO  
PROJECTS SHOULD BE HANDLED SEPARATELY AT THE EXECUTION  
LEVEL. IF THIS POINT IS CONCEDED, THE PROJECT

PROPOSAL WOULD BE PREPARED ON THE FORMAT REQUIRED BY EPA.  
END TEXT.

3. PLEASE ADVISE.  
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